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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed February 21, 2002 for the above referenced patent application, Applicants enclose the following:

1.) A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;

- 2.) A fully executed declaration;
- 3.) An assignment, with cover sheet for this application;
- 4.) A certified English translation of the application;
- 5.) A Preliminary Amendment;
- 6.) Transmittal of German Priority Documents DE 101 50 959.6 and DE 101 51 898.6;
- 7.) Transmittal of Substitute Drawing Sheet 1/1;
- 8.) An Information Disclosure Statement with Form 1449 and copies of the cited references; and
- 9.) A check in the amount of \$300 which includes the surcharge for late filing of the declaration for a large entity (\$130), surcharge for late filing of an English translation of the application (\$130) and the assignment recordation fee (\$40).

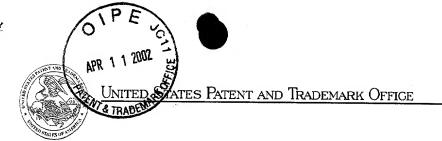
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Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 260.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e));

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